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Honorable Thomas E. Morgan, Chairman Committee on International Relations House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

In view of the questions raised at my meeting with the Committee on Wednesday, 12 November, and further questions which I have received since that time, I am forwarding for the Committee's information some additional material on the subject, along with page size copies of the charts which I was asked to provide for the record.

Sincerely,

/s/

W. E. Colby Director

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Table VI

* Estimated Future Military Assistance to Egypt and Syria From Other Arab States (Ground)

Supporting Country	To Egypt	To Syria
		1-9 Approved Division (12 ccc
		 I-2 Armored Divisions (12,000 men, 23 tanks per division);
	•	Unfantry Tack Forms forth to the as
	4.7	1 Infantry Task Force (estimated 15,00
		men, 48 tanks) (including one tan
	•	battalion and other combat/comba
Jordan	_	support units)
(Within its boundaries, Jordan	, (, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	1-2 Armored Brigade (4,000 men, 8
would retain: over 50,000		tanks per brigade)
ground troops for at least 1	•	
armored, I mechanized infan-		
try and I inforter distribute		
try, and 1 infantry division		
plus the Special Forces Unit)		
Nuwait		2 Composite Battalions (3,000)
Lebanon	************	8 Medical Teams
Saudi Arabia	************	Presently in Syria:
		I Infantry Brigade (3,500)
	••	1 Airborne Battalion (600)
•		1 Field Artillery Battalion (450)
		1 Field Artillery Battery (150)
		1 Special Forces Company (150)
		2 ADA Batteries (250) (Saudi Arabia
		presently has 5,500 troops in Jordan
		that could be deployed to Syria)
		Probable add-on support:
		I Infortan Daine de (4 000)
		1 Infantry Brigade (4,000)
and the second of the second o		1 Field Artillery Battalion (450-
•	The second secon	105-mm)
		1 Armored Car Battalion (500-Pan-
		hard)
•		1 Tank Battalion (300AMX-30)
		2-4 ADA Batteries (3,600-40-mm)
		2-4 Hawk Batteries (250-400)
Algeria	*	8-10 Light Helicopters
aigeria	In Egypt since Oct 1973:	
	1 Armored Brigade (2,000 men,	1 Armored Brigade (2,000 men, 100
	iou tanks)	tanks)
	Add-on support:	
	1 Infantry Brigade (2,500-3,000	1 Infantry Brigade (2,500-3,000 men)
15	men)	
Morocco	3 Infantry Battalions with artillery	3 Infantry Battalions with artillery sup-
	support (3,000 men), no armor	port (3,000 men), no armor
libya	1 Mechanized Infantry Brigade (2,200-	1 Infantry Battalion (500 men)
	2,500 men)	(555 111(12)
	1 Armored Brigade (90-100 tanks, 12	*
	155-mm SP How., 3,000-3,500 men)	•
	Minimum of 200 tanks without crews	100 or more tanks without crews
udan	Presently in Egypt:	and the state of t
	2 Infantry Battalions (1,500)	1 Infantry Battalion (700)
	1 Tank Company (10 T-54/55)	1 Armored Battalion (30 T-54/55)
	I Armored Reconnaissance Company	1 11 mored Dattanon (50 1-54/55)
	(10 Saladin)	
	30 APC (OT-64)	
•	Add-on support:	
	1 Parachute Battalion (500)	_
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	2 Tank Companies (20 T-54/55s)	
unisia	1 Medical Company 1 Infantry Battalion (500)	
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Table VII

Estimated Future Military Assistance to Egypt and Syria From Other Arab States (Air)

Supporting Country	To Egypt	To Syria
Iraq		3-4 Fighter Squadrons (at least 18 aircraft per squadron), with additional required transport aircraft.
Jordan		
(4,600 air force personnel with		
110 pilots (70 jet qualified) for		
49 fighter aircraft.)		
Kuwait		1 Hunter Squadron (4 aircraft)
		8 Light Helicopters
7.	1 Squadron MIG-21/Fishbed (12 air- craft)	
	1 Squadron MIG-17/Fresco (24 air- craft)	
	1 Squadron SU-7/Fitter (10 aircraft)	
Libya	50 Mirage fighters (without pilots)	

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plus the Special Forces Unit)		2 Composite Battalions (3,000)
Lebanon		8 Medical Teams
Saudi Arabia		Presently in Syria: 1 Infantry Brigade (3,500)
		1 Airborne Battalion (600)
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		1 Tank Battalion (300-AMX-30)
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:		8-10 Light Helicopters
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	1 Armored Brigade (2,000 men, 100 tanks)	1 Armored Brigade (2,000 men, 10 tanks)
		1 Infantry Brigade (2,500-3,000 men)
Morocco	men) 3 Infantry Battalions with artillery support (3,000 men), no armor	3 Infantry Battalions with artillery su port (3,000 men), no armor
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	1 Medical Company	
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